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ARTICLE III: PROPOSAL FOR INCLUSION IN THE FINAL DECLARATION

Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Denmark, Finland, German Democratic Republic, Federal Republic of Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

The following proposal is submitted for consideration as an inclusion in the Final Declaration:

"The Conference notes with satisfaction that a number of States Parties engaged in the supply of nuclear material and equipment have met regularly as what has become known as the Zangger Committee in order to co-ordinate the implementation of Article III.2. To this end these States have adopted certain requirements, including a list of items triggering IAEA safeguards, for their export to non-nuclear weapon States not Party to the Treaty, as set forth in the IAEA document INFCIRC/209 as revised. The Conference urges all States to adopt these requirements in connection with any nuclear co-operation with non-nuclear weapon States not Party to the Treaty. The Conference recommends that the list of items triggering IAEA Safeguards and the procedures for implementation be reviewed from time to time to take into account advances in technology and changes in procurement practices. The Conference recommends the States Parties to consider further ways to improve the measures to prevent diversion of nuclear technology for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive purposes while ensuring that the benefits of the peaceful applications of nuclear technology are available to all Parties to the Treaty."